

QUEEN'S FUNERAL
TO BE A PAGEANT.Preparations Assuming Definite Form
—A Grand Procession.

MANY TROOPS TO PARTICIPATE.

The King and Emperor William Will
Ride At Its Head—Many Troops
To Participate.

London, January 28.—The preparations for Queen Victoria's funeral are gradually assuming definite form. It promises to be the most tremendous pageant of the generation. The influx of members of the Royal families and representatives of foreign countries has been so wholly unprecedented that the court officials are finding it difficult to procure suitable accommodations. The Royal palaces being totally inadequate.

The procession is expected to occupy two hours, traversing London from Victoria station to Paddington station, whence the funeral train will depart at 11:15, reaching Windsor at 11:50. The coffin will be conveyed in the Queen's special saloon carriage, attached to the Royal train, built especially for the Diamond Jubilee, by which the King and the Royal family will journey to the Royal borough.

THE KING TO HEAD IT.

The King, the chief mourner, accompanied by Emperor William, will ride on horseback at the head of the procession through London, with Field Marshal Earl Roberts, the commander-in-chief of the forces, and staff in close proximity. At least six battalions of infantry, eight squadrons of cavalry and a number of batteries of artillery will participate in the procession, besides the multitudinous assemblage of peers, members of the House of Commons and court officials of strange title and stranger garb.

The street will be lined throughout with soldiers, but the route has not been definitely fixed. The coffin bearers will be non-commissioned officers from the troops composing the Household Brigade.

BRITISH POLICE FEAR REGICIDE.

All Anarchists in England to Be Guarded
While Royalty Pays Public Homage to the Queen.

London, Jan. 29.—Scotland Yard, fearing the influence of the presence of so many crowned heads at the late Queen's funeral, is taking drastic precautions to frustrate a possible attack by regicidal anarchists next Saturday, when King Edward, Emperor William, King Leopold and other visiting monarchs will drive or ride through the streets of London.

Every known anarchist in England will be located and banded. Some of the more dangerous of them will be arrested on trumped-up charges the night before the funeral, and will be detained until it is over.

For the present protective measures are confined to shadowing the home of Enrico Malatesta, the famous Italian anarchist leader, who lives in London in exile. When seen in his lodgings tonight, Malatesta said to our correspondent:

"Scotland Yard is unduly alarmed. Kings and queens are with us always and we need no sudden assemblage of them to stimulate our intention of overthrowing monarchy. We know that this cannot be accomplished by murder. The sovereigns who die would only be succeeded by other sovereigns."

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OUR CONSULAR SERVICE.

American Methods Excite Emulation of
Other Governments.

Washington, Jan. 29.—The President today transmitted to the Senate a communication from the Secretary of State accompanying the annual report on the foreign relations of the United States. The President himself takes advantage of the opportunity to express his commendation of the general efficiency of the consular service in promoting trade, which, he says, was even more marked last year than in 1899.

Secretary Hay in his letter says: "The practical character of the consular information obtained by our consuls, and the celebrity with which it is given to the public, continues to excite the emulation of foreign governments, and during the past year steps have been taken by both Great Britain and Germany to engrave these features of our consular work upon their consular systems."

"The general conclusion to be drawn from a survey of the conditions in foreign countries, as described in the reports herewith presented, is that the United States is approaching, even more swiftly than was expected, a position of eminence in the world's markets, due to superior quality and greater cheapness of many lines of its manufactures which must work great economic changes and may result in shifting the center not only of industrial,

MRS. NATION IN
ANOTHER ROLE.Makes Rounds And Lectures Kansas
State Officials.

HOT REPROOF OF THE GOVERNOR.

Provokes His Wrath By Telling Him He
Is a Lawbreaker and Perjuror—Pours
Out Words of Inveective in a Tide
That Could Not Be Stemmed.

Topeka, Kan., January 28.—Mrs. Carrie Nation today invaded the office of Gov. William Stanley in the Capitol Building, and for a solid hour arraigned the chief executive of the State for his failure to close the saloons of Kansas. Then in turn she visited the offices of Attorney General Goddard, County Attorney Nichols and Sheriff Porter, and demanded of each that they close the saloons.

Mrs. Nation accused Governor Stanley of branding her as a lawbreaker, and demanded to know if he had a better method than she of ridding the State of saloons.

"No, I don't think I have," he finally replied.

"But what can I do? I am powerless. The law does not allow me to do what I desire. The law gives me no privileges."

ABOUTS THE GOVERNOR'S WRATH.

"If necessary, call out the militia," was Mrs. Nation's prompt reply.

The crusader delivered a philippic that caused Governor Stanley's anger to rise.

"You can close every joint in Kansas if you will, Governor Stanley," she said, with force, "but you won't. You are a lawbreaker and a perjurer."

She became more vehement, and her voice quivered. She repeated these words of accusation again and again, the words of invective pouring from her with a rush that could not be stemmed.

Finally the Governor shouted back: "You cannot come here and talk this way to me. You cannot talk to me this way I say, I say. You are a woman, but I won't stand it. You will have to leave if you cannot—"

"I am a mother, I am a grandmother, and I represent the mothers of the State," the room was in an uproar. Then Mrs. Nation talked more calmly, pleading with the governor to aid her.

"You come with me and help me smash saloons," she urged, and then she added: "If you won't help us—if you won't help me—I'll go around and I'll smash, smash, smash, Governor. The deed seems to have a cinch on the men, but he hasn't a cinch on the hatchets and rocks."

Finally Governor Stanley volunteered: "You get the prosecuting attorneys of the different counties to put the joint keepers in jail, and I will use my power as governor to keep them in. I will see that they are not pardoned out."

Mrs. Nation fairly beamed with joy, and thanking the governor, forced her way in to Attorney General Goddard's private office.

ATTORNEY GENERAL NEXT.

"We want you to close the joints, these murder shops," she said.

She demanded that he remove those officials who neglected their duty in allowing the saloons to run, and when he evaded her direct questions and referred her to the county attorney, Mrs. Nation accused him of dodging. "The governor and attorney general are dodging," she said on leaving. "But there's no dodging my hatchet."

She had lost her wits and her veil during her raid on the State House.

To County Attorney Nichols she repeated her demands, and finally said she wished to swear out a warrant for the saloon keeper's wife who had attacked her on Saturday with a broomstick.

Then Mrs. Nation and her train headed for the office of Sheriff Porter S. Cook.

The sheriff was soon in a rage under her scorching attack, and rushed toward a newspaper man in the crowd who had pointed at him, seized the offender's collar and made a motion to strike him. Others interfered.

The chief of police happened to be absent from his office when Mrs. Nation harangued a crowd in the street.

WORK OF PACIFICATION.

More Reports of Dispersal and Surrender
of Filipinos.

Manila, Jan. 28.—General Funston reports that practically all the insurgents in his district have been dispersed, with the exception of disconnected bands in the mountains.

Sixty-five more rebels in the Island of Panay have surrendered to the United States authorities at Cebu.

George T. Rice, editor of the Daily Bulletin, who was ordered by General MacArthur to be deported because of the publication in his paper of allegations against Lieutenant Commander William Branerthorpe, captain of the port, said today: "It was ordered that he be held as a prisoner until his arrival at San Francisco."

The Philippine commission has passed the act annulling that portion of the Spanish code which disqualified judges and magistrates for trying cases on account of alleged incompetency. The act declares that the judges are incompetent only when pecuniarily interested in the litigation or related to the litigant. The general criminal and civil codes are almost completed.

The hearing on the municipal government bill was finished today, and the measure will be enacted on Wednesday. Only two natives objected to the church property taxation feature, and no objection was entered on behalf of the church or other organizations.

Reports from Southern Luzon say there is much dissatisfaction in the insurgent

camps. A thousand persons swore allegiance to the United States in a church at Malabon Sunday.

Galle's camp, near San Antonio, was surprised and attacked Friday by a detachment of the Fifteenth Infantry. The insurgents escaped, but a score of houses were destroyed.

Detachments of the Fourth Infantry and Fourth and Sixth Cavalry, with a platoon of marines, have captured a hundred and forty identified insurgents and larders in Cavite province.

Twenty wire repairers were attacked recently South of San Pablo by 300 insurgents, half of them armed with rifles. Two Americans were wounded but rescued by reinforcements of the Forty-ninth Regiment. One native was killed, seven wounded and some captured.

Minor insurgent activities continue in Cebu and Borol. General MacArthur this evening reviewed and addressed the Eleventh Cavalry. He highly complimented the troops, who are the only cavalry volunteers in the island, prior to their departure.

PIRACY BY CHINESE.

Said to Occur Daily in the Vicinity of
Canton.

Washington, January 28.—The following cablegram was received at the State Department today from Consul McWale, at Canton, dated today:

"Pirates at Samyokee, near Kanichuk, attacked E roman Louseboat early Sunday. They killed a Chinese boatman and wounded severely Brockhurst and Spalinger, Europeans. Piracies occur daily in the vicinity of Canton."

Pekin, January 28.—Hsu Cheng, son of Hsu Tung, the notorious anti-foreign guardian of the beir apparent, and also Chih Sin, a member of the Tung Li Yamen, and the Boxer leaders captured in the Japanese quarter, are being held for punishment.

Pekin, January 28.—A meeting of the foreign representative was held this morning, attended only by those whose fellow-countrymen have been killed in the provinces, the object being to decide what punishment shall be inflicted upon minor officials. A report will be made at a general meeting of the ministers, to be held probably after the funeral of Queen Victoria. The ministers refuse to state the decisions arrived at, but it is believed that few will be beheaded, and certainly not the highest officials.

Li Hung Chang and Prince Ching have, on their request, had Sheng Chou Fu appointed to assist in the negotiations. Chou Fu is the newly appointed treasurer of Chi Li, and was formerly Chinese minister to Korea.

The Germans today began building barracks for their legion guard.

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A Mexican war veteran and prominent editor writes: "Seeing the advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, I am reminded that as a soldier in Mexico in '47 and '48, I contracted Mexican diarrhoea and this remedy has kept me from getting an increase in my pension for an every renewal of a dose of it restores me."

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UNREST AMONG POLES.

Prussian Authorities Discover Revolutionary
Societies.

Berlin, January 29.—The Prussian authorities in the Polish provinces of Prussia have discovered evidences of the existence of secret societies aiming at a revolutionary rising. A number of arrests have been made in Posen. One of the ringleaders, a medical student named Bolewski, escaped across the Austrian frontier.

On Emperor William's birthday an indignation meeting was held by the Poles in Posen to protest against the recent postal practice of not delivering mail matter addressed to Poles. It was largely attended, and speeches were made by prominent members of the Reichstag and Diet, one of whom said that Emperor William must drop the title of Grand Duke of Posen if he will not recognize the Polish language.

Berlin, January 29.—Mohamed Ali, a Turkish officer, who was sent by the Sultan to serve in the 115th regiment, has disappeared from Darmstadt under circumstances pointing to foul play. The police have offered a reward for his recovery, living or dead.

S. W. VIRGINIA
LOCAL ITEMS.WHAT HAS RECENTLY TRANSPIRED
IN THE COUNTIES OF THIS
SECTION.

The town of Christiansburg is now enjoying the comforts of an excellent electric light system.

At the re-count of ballots in Pulaski county General Walker gained 115 votes. It is said that if there is a re-count in Wise county he will gain at one precinct between 150 and 200 votes.

Hickman and Company, of Washington, D. C., will establish a branch house at Bristol, Va. The firm will do a poultry slaughtering business at the branch house, which will have a capacity for handling 2000 fowls each day.

There is considerable excitement in Lee county over an outbreak of smallpox in the vicinity of the iron ore mines, near Ewing, in that county. Up to the 25th inst. one death had occurred. Dr. S. E. Shelburne, who was employed to investigate the matter, reported that he found more than thirty well developed cases of smallpox in the vicinity of Ewing, and that from two to five hundred persons had been exposed to the disease.

One day last week Hon. Harvey Young, ex-representative from Lee county in the Virginia Legislature, was shot in the left arm while riding along a public road. The shot was fired by some person who was lying in ambush. The wound inflicted was a flesh one and not dangerous. This is the second time such an attempt has been made to shoot Mr. Young. He knows of no reason why anyone should desire to take his life; but there is evidently some person who bears him malice.

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PROSPECT OF EXTRA SESSION.

Two Matters Regarded by President as
of Urgent Importance.

Washington, Jan. 30.—The cabinet meeting today was devoted almost exclusively to a discussion of Cuban matters. The Cuban constitution is expected to reach Washington on February 15, when it will be placed before Congress. The President regards prompt action in this matter of very great importance, and would not hesitate to call Congress together in extra session to consider it, should it appear necessary.

The need for prompt action on the Spooner Philippine bill is regarded as scarcely less urgent than the disposition of the Cuban constitution, and the statement is made on high authority that in the event of the failure of either of these measures to receive the consideration of Congress, an extra session is almost inevitable.

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ADVICE FROM OUTSIDERS.

Germany and Probably England to
Urge The Spooner Bill.

Manila, January 29.—Dr. Kruger, the German consul general here, has called to the Berlin government asking that the German ambassador at Washington be instructed to diplomatically urge the passage of the Spooner bill. Two mining corporations organized in Germany are anxious to begin operations in the Philippines, but cannot do so until the status of mining claims is established by a permanent government.

Manila, January 29.—General MacArthur has ordered throughout the division, except the necessary guard and field duty, all work be suspended on the day of the Queen's funeral. A national salute will be fired and signal guns will be fired between sunrise and sunset, when a salute to the Union Jack will be fired.

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EDITORIAL PARAGRAPHS.

The exports from the United States were forty times as large in 1900 as they were in 1800.

Those who think that the question of a reduction of Southern representation in Congress is settled will find themselves mistaken.

If Bryan can approach perpetual motion as nearly in the role of a writer as he has as a speaker, he will have a complete editorial staff in himself.

The Virginia Legislature seems to be more anxious about the number of delegates there shall be in the convention than about what shall be the character of the work of the convention.

Frank James, the former bandit, was recently a candidate before the Missouri Legislature for the position of door keeper of the House, but he failed to get enough votes. If he had been a ballot thief, especially in a Southern State, he would have stood a good chance for election.

Mrs. Carrie Nation who has been wrecking whiskey saloons at different points in Kansas is threatening to go to New York and commence the smashing business there. It will be interesting to watch a conflict between the western temperance tigers and the New York tigers.

There is a lively scramble going on in the Democratic Legislative caucus at Richmond for the election of a judge of the Court of Appeals to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Judge Rely. Some of the Democrats are disposed to regard it as a disgraceful scramble, because of the tactics that are being employed by the friends of the candidates.

Contracts for naval work, in the aggregate, amounting to \$7,500,000, were signed at the Navy Department on the 26th inst. by representatives of the Newport News Shipbuilding and Dry Dock Company. The Ship Yards at Newport News have become one of the greatest industries in the country, and there is no estimating the benefit it has been to Virginia.

They say that subscriptions are pouring in for Mr. Bryan's paper, "The Commoner," at the rate of one thousand a day. His paper is intended to champion the rights of what he calls the "common people." We venture to say that if a person should address any one of the many thousands who are subscribing for the paper as one of the "common people" such an address would be treated as an insult. Every one of those fellows will claim to be aristocrats.

Towne, the accidental U. S. Senator from Minnesota, seemed determined to make himself notorious before quitting the Senate. On Monday he made a ferocious attack in favor of his resolution for a cessation of hostilities in the Philippines. Of course it was an attack upon the Administration's policy. Immediately after the close of Towne's speech, the credentials of Mr. Clapp, as successor of Towne in the Senate, were presented and Mr. Clapp was sworn in as Senator from Minnesota, Exit Towne!

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